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## FISHING FESTIVAL AT HAROLD PARKER STATE FOREST

The Harold Parker State Forest 18th Annual Fishing Festival will be held at Berry Pond on Saturday, September 16, 2006 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Families are invited to learn techniques of fishing with instructions on baiting, casting, cleaning, and filleting. If you have a child who is begging to go fishing, this is the FREE event planned for you.

In addition to fishing, there will be raffles, prizes, and children's games. We are planning for beautiful weather, but the Fishing Festival will take place rain or shine.

Co-sponsors are the Department of Conservation and Recreation and MassWildlife Angler Education Program.

Businesses who have made generous donations are Eastern Mountain Sports in Peabody, Magnum Sporting Goods in Danvers, Di Gloria's Sports Shop in Methuen, Learning Express in Andover, and Starbucks and the Dragon's Nest in Newburyport.

Harold Parker State Forest is located at 1951 Turnpike Road in North Andover, Massachusetts. Berry Pond is on Middleton Road. Signs will be posted to direct you to free parking. For more information, please call (978) 686-3391 or visit the website, [www.mass.gov/dcr](http://www.mass.gov/dcr).